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Office Action Summary

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Status

1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on Apr 14, 1999

2a) ☐ This action is FINAL. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.

3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 35 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-26 is/are pending in the applica

4a) Of the above, claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from considera

5) ☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

6) ☒ Claim(s) 1-26 is/are rejected.

7) ☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.

8) ☐ Claims _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirem

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are objected to by the Examiner.
- 11) ☐ The proposed drawing correction filed on _____ is: a) ☐ approved b) ☐ disapproved.
- 12) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

13) ☐ Acknowledgement is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d).

a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of:

- ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
- ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____
- ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

*See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

14) ☐ Acknowledgement is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e).

Attachment(s)

15) ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)

18) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s). _____

16) ☒ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)

19) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)

17) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s). 2

20) ☐ Other:

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DETAILED ACTION

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

1. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless --

(e) the invention was described in a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention thereof by the applicant for patent, or on an international application by another who has fulfilled the requirements of paragraphs (1), (2), and (4) of section 371(C) of this title before the invention thereof by the applicant for patent.

2. Claims 1-9, 11-16, 18-23, 25-26 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Hoskins et al, US Patent No. 6,67,406.

As per claim 1, Hoskins et al teach file containing data loaded into the enterprise planning is shown in column 74 line 64-67, maps data as claimed is shown in column 14 line 1-3 and column 25 line 29-40 and column 35 line 1-4 execute sensing devise (screens) is shown in column 1 line 25-31.

As per claim 2, Hoskins et al teach data from legacy system is shown in column 13 line 10-16.

As per claim 3, Hoskins et al teach file including logic is shown in column 21 line 50-56.

As per claim 4, Hoskins et al teach editing is shown in column 51 line 26-50 and column 52 line 67.

As per claim 5, Hoskins et al teach field location and length is shown in column 56 line 38-43.

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As per claim 6, Hoskins et al teach retrieving data and parameter is shown in column 34 line 54-60, creating commands is shown in column 22 line 7-20, execute sensing devise (screens) is shown in column 1 line 25-31.

As per claim 7, Hoskins et al teach retrieving logic is shown in column 5 line 3-5.

As per claim 8, Hoskins et al teach executing error is shown in column 76 line 28-40.

As per claim 9, 16, 23, Hoskins et al teach record of the data file is shown in column 14 line 57-65.

As per claim 11, Hoskins et al teach record ceasing process shown in column 27 line 63-67 and column 28 line 1-4.

For rejection of claim 12, 15, 22, see column 10 line 19-28 and column 72 line 36-42.

For rejection of claim 13, 18, 20, 25 commands is shown in column 22 line 14-20, for the rest of the rejection see the rejection of claim 1 above.

For rejection of claim 14, 21, see column 35 line 1-4.

For rejection of claim 19, 26, see column 45 line 64-67 and column 46 line 1-19.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

3. The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) which forms the basis for all obviousness rejections set forth in this Office action:

(a) A patent may not be obtained though the invention is not identically disclosed or described as set forth in section 102 of this title, if the differences between the subject matter sought to be patented and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the art to which said subject matter pertains. Patentability shall not be negated by the manner in which the invention was made.

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4. Claims 10, 17, 14 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Hoskins et al ,US Patent No, 6,617,406

As per claim 10, 17, 24, Hoskins et al teach transmit result is shown in column 15 line 50-60, Hoskins et al do not specifically teach E-mail address. Official notice is taking E-mail address. It would have been obvious to one of the ordinary skill in the art at the time of invention was made to take E-mail because one of the ordinary skill in the art would be motivated to make the system flexible and user friendly.

Conclusion

5. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

TITLE: System, method and article of manufacture for a mobile communication network utilizing a distributed communication network, US 6199099 B1

TITLE: System and process allowing collaboration within and between enterprises for optimal decision making, 6119149 A

TITLE: Modular application collaboration, US 5913061 A

TITLE: Data structure for use in enterprise controls, 6268853 B1 (SEPT)

TITLE: Method and apparatus for determining and initiating interaction directionality within a multimedia communication center, US 6170011 B1

~~*TITLE: System, method and article of manufacture for building an enterprise-wide data model,~~
US-6167406 A

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TITLE: Method and apparatus for creating specialized multimedia threads in a multimedia communication center, US 6167395 A


TITLE: System, method and article of manufacture for displaying an animated, real-time updated control sequence chart, 6157864 A

TITLE: System method and article of manufacture for integrated enterprise-wide control, 6108662 A

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Chameli Das whose telephone number is 703-306-3014. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday from 8:00 A.M to 4:30 P.M. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor Mark Powell can be reached at 703-305-9703. The fax number for this group is 703-746-7239. An inquiry of general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the group receptionist whose telephone number is 703-305-9600

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